Currently I listen to XM radio because i commute 35 miles per day and cannot stand the mindless banter of radio hosts who think we really would rather listen to them than enjou music. I love the commercialless music programming and i am willing to pay for this. When i need traffic and whether, i am willing to pay for that too. Currently my only choice is to go back to local stations just to pick up that info but again have to waste my time sifting through thier chat to find this information. If local channels want to clean up their programming, i would certainly listen to them, and do for my sports teams, but for me xm radio is worth the money and why shouldn't that me my choice, after all, i am paying for it, not the government and not advertisers.